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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : A. Fogel  
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Serial No. : 08/154,562  
For : Dermatological Compositions Using A  
Series of Unusually Safe Esters as  
Cosmetic Emollients with Unique and  
Ideal Physical Properties  
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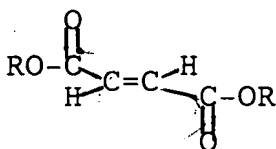
Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 1997,  
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified appli-  
cation be amended as follows:

In the Claims:

✓ Please cancel the pending claims 33-48 and add the fol-  
lowing claims: ✓

49. A cosmetic emollient comprising compounds of the  
structure:



Sub D1  
where R is a blend of C<sub>12</sub>-C<sub>15</sub> straight chain alkyl groups  
and wherein said emollient is a solid at room temperature and  
melts at body temperature.

50. The emollient according to claim 49 wherein said  
blend comprises 27 to 35% by weight of a C<sub>12</sub> alkyl group, 30 to  
38% by weight of a C<sub>13</sub> alkyl group, 14 to 22% by weight of a C<sub>14</sub>

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